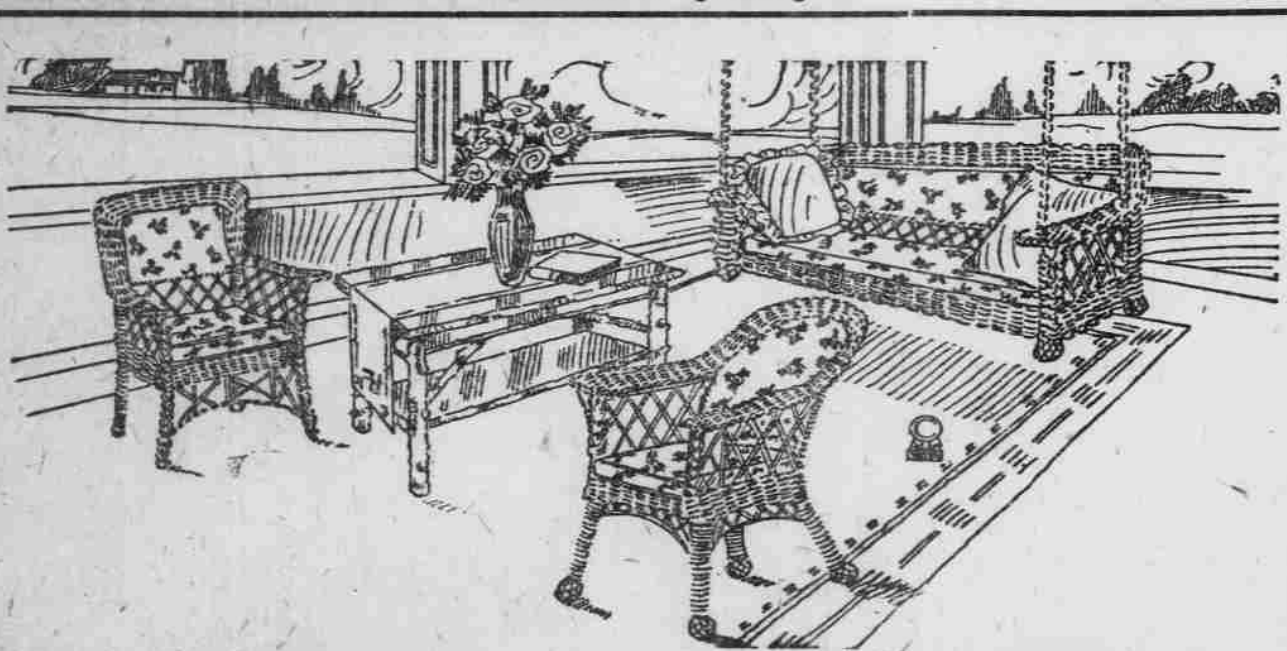


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BRITISH DEFENSE OF DESERT OASIS BRAVE STRUGGLE

Force at El-Dueidar Drives off
Six Times Its Number
In Severe Battle.

London, June 2.—The defense by the British at the Egyptian desert post at El-Dueidar during the Turkish raid of April 25 deserves to be chronicled as among the memorable incidents of the war, according to Reuters' special correspondent at the general headquarters of the Egyptian expeditionary force. On that Sunday 150 British soldiers held a position far too extended for such a small garrison, against a force of Turks and Arabs six times their own number, says the correspondent.

The location of defence is a small oasis in a depression in the sandy waste about 13 miles east of the Suez Canal. The British had erected two redoubts and several small isolated posts in the vicinity of a grove of date palms. These defenses were not completed at the time of the raid.

In a mist so thick that the defenders were barely able to discern the barbed wire 50 feet in advance of their redoubts, the attack began at 8 o'clock in the morning. Rifle fire beat back the first assault very quickly, according to the correspondent, the Turks retiring to reform. Captain Roberts of the Royal Scots Fusiliers was in command. In the absence of communication trenches, he was unable, after the mist lifted at 9 o'clock to send reinforcements, ammunition and messages to the isolated posts, as the attackers' rifle and machine gun fire swept the intervening spaces. One post was held by eight men, three of whom were wounded early in the engagement. To the extreme right, some of the British lay out in the open and fought off enemy attempts to reach the rear of the defenses.

Returning to the attack, the enemy brought up a mountain gun and with it severely shelled the oasis, but, according to the correspondent, the aim was wretched and little damage was done. From a ridge to the left a machine gun raked the eastern range of the oasis.

The attacking force numbered 120 Turkish camel corps and about 750 Arabs, together with two mountain guns and 60 artillerymen. The British, after holding their positions throughout the day, resisted the final and most desperate attack which began at 7 o'clock at night, this assault consisting of three rushes. When it had been beaten off, most of the 50 yards of the British trench, one Turk being found within 20 yards. The defenders had suffered a great many casualties.

Meanwhile news of the attack had reached brigade headquarters, seven miles away, and two companies of infantry had been sent to the garrison, which they reached about 9 o'clock

after a trying march through deep sand. The officer commanding these fresh troops had orders to take the offensive at the first opportunity and after the enemy had found that the latter was too strong, and further infantry reinforcements were despatched from brigade headquarters, while two squadrons of Australian Light Horse hurried up from a place 18 miles away.

Before the arrival of these last reinforcements, however, the Turks and Arabs began to fall back, and a British counter-attack drove off the rear guard, 12 of the enemy being captured. The Australian Light Horse assisted in the full retreat but were unable to overtake the camels on which the enemy was mounted.

The Turks and Arabs lost 70 dead, one wounded and 21 prisoners, according to the correspondent, who does not state the British casualties. The latter included Capt. A. C. A. Brace, of the Army Service Corps, the only officers of the original garrison killed, and Lieut. Crawford, of the Royal Scots Fusiliers, wounded. Capt. Brace met death while trying to rescue Lieut. Crawford, who was lying on the sand, exposed to a deadly fire.

Public interest throughout Bridgeport and beyond will be aroused to a high pitch of interest by the announcement of the Caesar Misch store regarding the bargains which they will give tomorrow and as long as they last.

Although the season has but just started, this big, day-light store is offering clothes for men and women, and boys and girls, that is in the latest modes and of the finest material and workmanship at prices that bear but little relation to the real values of the goods offered.

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A measure imposing an export tax on diamonds was adopted by the African Assembly at Capetown.

Mrs. Josiah E. Cowles Heads Women's Clubs

New York, June 2.—Mrs. Josiah E. Cowles, of Los Angeles, Cal., has been elected president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs by a large majority, defeating Mrs. Samuel B. Sneath, of Tiffin, O.

She was announced yesterday, showed that Mrs. Cowles received 1,732 ballots against 433 for Mrs. Sneath.

The other officers elected were: First vice-president, Miss George A. Bacon, Worcester, Mass.; second vice president, Mrs. Eugene Kelly, Charlotte, N. C.; recording secretary, Mrs. Carrie A. McFarland, South Dakota; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Francis D. Everett, Illinois; treasurer, Mrs. William B. Williams, Michigan; re-elected; auditor, Mrs. W. P. Harper, Washington state.

By a two-thirds majority, the federation voted to affiliate with the National Council of Women which, in turn, is a member of the International Council of Women.

Several women were ejected from the meeting because of their protests when they were denied the right to vote on this question.

ENGLISH COLLEGE BUILDS BIG CHEMICAL STATION FOR LABORATORY WORK

London, June 2.—Chemistry's importance in the future prosperity of the nation has been recognized by University College, London, which has just completed the construction of a new chemical laboratory, with an installation and reference library which it is intended shall become one of the most complete and comprehensive of its kind in the world.

The faculty of the college in carrying out its plans for the advancement of chemical science in Britain sought for ideas in the principal modern laboratories both in this country and abroad. The basic idea was to provide for the needs of independent research and the experimental department has been designed for the carrying-out of tests on a large scale with the view of utilization of new discoveries in connection with the industries of the country. During the war, the government has taken advantage of the facilities offered, and much valuable work has been achieved.

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LINCOLN SCHOOL PUPILS GIVE ENTERTAINMENT

Dances, Songs, Instrumental
Music and Playlet on Pro-
gram Last Night.

The pupils of Lincoln school gave an entertainment in the school hall last night. Nearly 150 pupils participated. The entertainment will be repeated Thursday evening, June 8, because the ticket sale was so large. New material will be added for the encore.

The program
Concert from 7:30 to 7:45 by Lincoln School Orchestra.
Folk Dance—Swedish Clap Dance—
Miss Seymour, Director.
Dorothy Clark, Edna Kaidy, Mary Danley, Lillian Delaney Mary Forsyth, Marjorie Gillick, Mildred Burritt, Mildred Moser, Rose Ribak, Ruth Stanton, Russell Sergeant, Vincent Lavery, Arthur Lindberg, Brvine Sgallio, Richard Bifield, Donald Bottom, Emile Goodman, Laurence Rowland, Stanley Mealia and Lincoln School Glee Club,
Song by Lincoln School Glee Club,
Miss Fowler, Director.

Laura Audley, Josephine Baer, Lillian Binder, Grace Cox, Edith Cushman, Ruby Delohry, Rebecca Dubin, Margaret Dunn, Bessie Eastham, Marion Finan, Edith Gergley, Mildred Horwitz, Ethel Howard, Cecelia Lavery, Irene Lavery, Dora Lawrence, Frances Lister, Natalie Maynard, Grace McLeod, Gladys O'Mara, Minnie Pious, Lillian Priest, Ethel Ralstrik, Helen Rall, Marion Rosenberg, Julia Segal, Helen Serafin, Mabel Sherry, Eleanor Sherwood, Ethel Walli, Alice McDonald, Marguerite Hurd, Eva Schofield, Grace Carlson, accompanist.

Reading—Miss Caldwell.
Trio—Violin, Miss Gorman; viola, Mrs. Van York; piano, Miss Clarkson.
Folk Dance—"Parisian."
Miss Crotty, Director.

Mildred Fenton, Edward Sheehan, Anna Borden, Carroll Williams, Veronica Donahue, Henry Kautler, Geta Chapin and Clayton Gritman.

Lincoln School Orchestra, "My Fiddle and I,"—Miss Gorman Director.

First violin, Charles Barry; Rebecca Dubin, Elizabeth Moorstein, Walter Banker; second violin, Roger Hinckley, Frederick Seltzer, Louise, Hudson, viola, Dorothea Clarkson; assisted by Mrs. Van York, viola.

Playlet—"School at Blueberry Corners," Miss Liddle, Director.

Scene 1—First day of school.
Scene 2—Clasping day of school.

William Kierman, James Erickson, Marvin Goodrich, Helen Hatch, Robert Sinclair, Thomas Kiley, Malcolm Graham, Anna Frank, Grace Elliott, Walter Callaghan, Lottie Greenberg, Edith Goldstein, Ethel Hagan and Bertha Johnson. Ida Allen, teacher.

Lincoln School Orchestra—"Symphony."

Tableaux Representing 18 costumes of Children of Different Nations

Alice Abbott, Grace Mucci, Francis Comer, Frederick Ott, Myrtle Chase, Marion Sherman, Carl Back, Ethel Walli, Kenneth White, Elsie Dayton, Eleanor Noonan, Edna Trinder, Margaret Caldwell, Rose Jerbow, Thelma Forrester, Ruth Tickey, David Priest, Description written by Miss Zink and read by Miss Caldwell.

Selections by a Sextette from Lincoln Drum Corps.

Fifes, Frederick Vervaeke, leader; Howard Matson, Henry Tobin, James Burns, Nicholas Elliott. Drum Harold Ryan.

Hoop Drill—Mrs. Thornberry Director, Grace Carlson, Accompanist.

Edith Cushman, Marion Finan, Elsie Eggers, Rebecca Dubin, Lillie Schels, Eileen O'Connor, Josephine Kautler, Marguerite Hurd, Lillian Priest, Eleanor Sherwood, Mabel Sherry, Gladys O'Mara, Frances Lister, Cecelia Lavery, Julia Segal and Edith Gergley.

Flag Drill—Miss Caldwell, Director.

Dorothea Clarkson, piano.

Natalie Haberlin, Myrtle Sherman, Anna Jackson, Florence Smith, Beatrice Vanstone, Mabel Smith, Ruth Allen, Anna Bugradell, Hazel Doolittle, Florence Simpson, Hazel Pratt and Ethel Ralstrik.

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CLARA L. KELLOGG ESTATE IS WORTH OVER \$300,000

New Hartford, Conn., June 2.—Clara Louise Kellogg, famous American prima donna, who died at her home here recently, left an estate of \$300,000, in addition to many valuable jewels. Most of the fortune was gained on the operatic stage.

The prima donna, who in private life was Mrs. Carl Strakosch, left the residue of her estate and her jewels to her husband. There are no public bequests. In addition to the residue and jewels Mr. Strakosch is given \$25,000 outright.

To Myra Louise Matthews Parsons, wife of William E. Parsons and daughter of Franklin Matthews, of Brooklyn, N. Y., she bequeaths \$20,000; to Julia Strakosch Lee, wife of Kenneth Lee, of Cheshire, Cheshire, England, \$10,000; to Jeanette L. Glider, of No. 100 East Seventeenth street, New York city, \$10,000; to Pamela S. Warren, wife of Frank Lord Warren, of Stockbridge, Mass., the use of \$5,000; to Atwood Bullard, wife of Dr. W. E. Bullard, of Larchmont, N. Y., the use of \$7,000. The principal of the two latter bequests are to become a part of the residue after the deaths of the legatees.

The residue of the estate is bequeathed to the Connecticut Trust & Safe Deposit Co., of Hartford, in trust for her husband. Upon his death, an additional \$10,000 is bequeathed to Jeanette L. Glider. The remainder, and the \$10,000 bequeathed Miss Glider, should she not survive her husband, is to be divided into two equal parts, one to be given to Myra Louise Matthews Parsons and the other to Julia Strakosch Lee.

Jeanette L. Glider died January 17 last, prior to the death of the testator, so that her share reverts to the estate.

PATENT RIGHTS ISSUED TO CONNECTICUT INVENTORS

The following were issued May 30, 1916 List furnished from office of A. M. Wooster, Solicitor of Patents, Bridgeport, Conn.

Frank R. Bodnar, Bridgeport, automobile signal.

Anker S. Lyhne, Bridgeport, pocket flashlight.

Daniel Stern, Bridgeport, window screen.

Benjamin Y. Stewart, Bridgeport, paper-board.

Clinton E. Woods, Bridgeport, talking-machine.

Ernest L. Hammond, Hartford, lock mechanism for firearms.

Benet M. W. Hanson, Hartford, feed mechanism.

Jacob F. Zinn, Hartford, punching tool.

Gustav A. Antelmann, New Haven, lock for automobile doors.

John T. Bolton, New Haven, automatic cloth-guides.

Peter E. Caplette, Jr., New Haven, game.

Allan J. Beaton, New Britain, floor or ceiling plate.

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